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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

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Docket No.: ERJZY-114AX

Sir:

In re application of: Andrew W. Taylor et al.

Entitled: **ACTIVATION OF REGULATORY T CELLS BY ALPHAMELANOCYTE  
 STIMULATING HORMONE**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- ☐ This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$ ) per §1.17(e).  
☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on per §1.116.

- ☒ A Petition for Extension of Time for 1 month is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$55.00) per §1.17.

- ☒ In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.

- ☐ is hereby appointed Associate Attorney by:  
 Registration No.:

Attorney of Record:

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☐ Other:

| CLAIMS AFTER<br>AMENDMENT:  | MINUS PRIOR<br>PAID CLAIMS: | EQUALS PRESENT<br>EXTRA CLAIMS: | RATE:        | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE: |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| Independent   | 14 - 14                     | - -0-                           | x \$86.00 =  | -0-                |
| Total   | 63 - 63                     | - -0-                           | x \$18.00 =  | -0-                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation)   |                             |                                 | + \$290.00 = | -0-                |
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- ☒ No additional fee. ☐ The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$ ) for the cost of same.

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under §1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to Examiner Gerald R. Ewoldt, TC Art Unit 1644, Fax No. (703) 872-9306, on Nov. 13, 2003.

**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE**  
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